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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Deputy to the DCI for the

Intelligence Community

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Acting Chairman, Security Committee

SUBJECT

: Codeword Clearances

- 1. Attached for your signature is a proposed memorandum for the DCI in response to his 10 September 1977 note to you requesting codeword clearance data over some recent period of time to show growth,
- 2. Because of the various management and accounting centers found in the Community, the requested statistics are not uniformly compiled and maintained. The Special Security Center, OS/CIA, has been the source of some of these statistics, and the NFIB Secretariat the source for the data on SIGINT clearances. These factors will undoubtedly lead to some discrepancies in the totals. Nevertheless, they appear to be accurate enough to show the growth patterns requested by the DCI.
 - 3. Recommend that you sign the attached memorandum to the DCI.

Attachment: as stated

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